PRICE TWO CENTS

ALICE THAW TIRES OF TITLED SPOUSE

American Heiress, Who Wedded the Earl of Yarmouth. Seeks Divorce

SPECULATION AS TO CAUSES OF IT

Hearing Will Be Secret Because of Nature of Evidence-Earl's Absence from Thaw Trial and Insanity Plea Figure in the

fluence on the succession of the Yarmouth estate in the event there was issue from the marriage.

Wedding Was Sensational.

The wedding of Lord Yarmouth and Miss Thaw was an event in Pittsburg society. It was planned that her eldest brother, Harry, should give her away, but he was absent. The ceremony was delayed several hours to await his coming, but he did not put in an appearance, Joseph C. Thaw, another brother, acted in his place. It was also reported that the delay in the ceremony was due to further negotiations with regard to the marriage settlement from the Thaw family. The earlist declared to have insisted upon an increase and the papers had to be drawn up before the marriage proceeded. Shortly after the marriage it was reported that the sum of \$1,000.00 had been settled upon the earl, and that all the debts of Yarmouth's English estate had been paid by the young wife.

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[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

WILMINGTON, DEIL. January 3,-Mahlon B. Foster, manager of the
Novelty Carriage Works, of Wilmington, and a prominent business man,
was taken to Accomac Courthouse, Va.,
late, to-night by Constable Tankard
G. Kellam, of Onancock, Va., to answer a charge of forging the name of
Downing Brothers, of Mappsburg, Va.,
to a note for \$173.80. The note, which
was drawn August 14th, last, for four
months on the Weller Bank, Increpo-

LEVY ON S. A. L. CARS

BORROWS GUN TO END LIFE

From reports received here from London in the past month, it is said Yarmouth objected to insanity figuring in the New York Thaw trial on the ground that it would have a direct influence on the succession of the Yarmouth estate in the event there was issue from the marriage.

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SOUTHERN GIVES LOW RATE UNASKED

Pres. Finley Announces a Reduction of Fare in South Carolina.

GIVE RATE FAIR TRIAL FOR YEAR

The Official Order Provides for a Flat Rate of 2 1-2 Cents and for Mileage Books at Two Cents or Other Reduced

TWO AND HALF CENT RATE

BURNED BY NIGHT-RIDERS

00. King & Proctor's stable. Joshua Knowles's cottage. Overpower Police Chief.

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Captain W. R. Bruce the chief of police, attempted to sound the fire alarm, but was overpowered by four masked night riders. Two merchants—J. R. McLean, a grocer, and J. Honry Moneley, owner of a dry goods store—did not hurry into their homes as first as the hight riders degreed, and were shot.

GOVERNOR OFFERS REWARD.

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Intimidate Tobacco Growers.

AUGUSTA, KY, January 3,—Three hundred night-riders called last night on Charles K. Blutes, of Powerville, and then called upon Issac Munson, Edwin Wars, William T. Downard and Marin Holeran in succession, all signing the contract not to raise totacco crops this year and to hold their 1907 crops for six months. The "riders" next visited A. W. Hedgocok, a wealth violacce dealer and farmer, but Mr. Hedgocok was absent. The "riders" then called upon Nichols J. Poddycord, who has a large cup of tobacco poddycord refused to six the "riders" disbanded, to meet in Germanway, January 8th, for the advance into Mason county.

SHARP CRITICISM OF MR. WILLIAMS

Mr. Untermyer Charges Richmonder With Misrepresenting.

OFFER OF PEACE MISCONSTRUED

New York Lawyer Accuses Former President of Seaboard of Ungracious Action to Detriment of Scaboard Securities and Injury of Property.

Counsel for Receivers

Judge Pritchard yesterday entered the following order in the Senhoard Air Line Railway case:

"It is ordered that Mesars.
A. C. Braxton, L. L. Lewis, Samuel Untermyer and Eppa Hunton, Jr., be, and they are hereby, uppointed counsel for the receivers hereiofore appointed in this cause.

"United States Circuit Judge.
"January 3, 1998."
It is understood that Mr. Untermyer was appointed upon the aug-

confined his activities to abusing, criticizing and misrepresenting the people who were trying to save and develop this great property, the wisdom of whose course will in the end be vindicated. He contributed nothing in the way of help. It ill becomes him (Continued on Fifth Page.)

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SUFFOLK, VA., January 3.—County
officers to-day raided an illicit liquor tured three alleged moonshiners, W. J. Byrd, his twenty-one-year-old son. W. Preston Byrd, and Agic Butler. The men were carried to Holland, where, at a preliminary hearing before Justices J. F. Debeury and Ellhu Joyner, they were sent on to the Circuit Court grand jury for indictment. All were locked up, but thely attorneys

NOT ABLE TO SETTLE IT

Judgeship Candidate Willing to Ar

ELOPERS SEPARATE

LEE CAMP MEETING

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Secretary, W. G. Duke,
Trensurer, Barney Howman,
Sergeant-at-Arms, E. C. Hicks,

Three Alleged Moonshiners Captured and the Plant Selzed. ARREST HUSBAND

Mystery of Newark Murder Partially Solved by Positive Identification

HELEN WHITMORE IS WOMAN'S NAME

Her Husband, Theodore S. Whitmore, Tardily Admits Her Identity, and Is Held on Suspicion of Having Killed Her After Quarrel.

NEWARK, N. J., January 3 .- Follow-

REV. FATHER STAFFORD DIES

Noted Catholic Clergyman of Washington Succumbs to Operation.

WASHINGTON, January 3.—the Rev. Father Dennis J. Stafford, D. D., pastor of St. Patrick's Roman Catholic Church, in this city, an irremovable parish, one of the most noted divines in the country, died at 2 o'clock this afternoon at Providence Hospital, following an operation last Tuesday. Dr. Stafford was forty-seven years of age, and was ordained to the priesthood December 19, 1885. It is said that on one occasion Dr. Stafford refused the sum of \$50,000 to lecture on the "Passion Play" in one of the New York theatres. Dr. Stafford, both residents of this city, and Mrs. Simpson, who resides in Virginia.

that the Whitmores were at her home Christmas Day, and left together at 4:30, after having had a quarrel in her presence.

Mrs. Schmitter fainted after recognizing her sister's body to-day. When she had regained her senses she said that ever since her sister had been married her life had been miserable.

LEE CAMP MEETING

Arrangements Made for Annual Sermon and Memorial Services.

Lee Camp, C. V., held its regular meeting hat night, with Commander C. W. P. Brock in the chair. An invitation was received by the camp to attend the memorial of the Sons the camp properties of the camp arranged for the presentation of the oil portrait of General Henry A, Wiseon Friday night, January 13th, in the chief of the composition of the oil portrait of General Henry A, Wiseon Friday night, January 13th, in the presentation speech, and the camp hall.

The camp hall annuary 1st, at 8 o'clock. Capitain Henry Wise, of Baltimore, will make the presentation speech, and the camp haling invited ex-Gevernor W. E. Cameron to receive the picture on behalf of the veterant of the picture on behalf of the veteral near the properties.

DOHERTY CHAIRMAN

Present Encumbent Elected to Succeed Himself.

Harmony and good feeling marked the session of the new City Democratic Committee at Murphy's last night to choose officers for the next two years, the only division being over the selection of a member to fill a vacancy from Marshall Ward.

Only one name was presented for seach position to be filled, and all the old officers were re-elected exceptioned in a member to fill a vacancy from Marshall Ward.

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Treasurer, W. G. Duice.

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